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Title:

**Photonic Crystal Materials** 

Art Unit:

1752

Examiner:

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION

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Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action mailed on November 30, 2004. The three month deadline for response was February 28, 2005. Applicants attach a request for a two-month extension of time to extend the deadline to April 30, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.